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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

A three month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) to January 20, 2006, is hereby requested to respond to the Office Action dated July 25, 2005. A check for \$1,020.00 is enclosed for the extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>02-4270</u>.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that the correspondence

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